



NATURAL GAS TRANSPORTATION & STORAGE

# Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company

A subsidiary of MDU Resources Group, Inc.

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## Service Portfolio

### Service Portfolio

Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company provides a broad range of natural gas services that include: transportation, storage and gathering, along with a full spectrum of energy-related administrative services. These services are offered to a variety of customers such as: utilities, natural gas production companies, energy marketing firms and large industrial consumers.

The Williston Basin spans major portions of North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana and Wyoming. Storage working gas capacity of approximately 193 billion cubic feet provides customers with enhanced daily and seasonal deliverability and greater ability to access best-cost natural gas supplies throughout the year.

### Operating Statistics

<b>2007 Throughput (Mdk)</b>	140,762
<b>Natural gas storage (Bcf)</b>	
<i>Total capacity</i>	353 Bcf
<i>Working capacity</i>	193 Bcf
<b>Number of compressor stations</b>	30

### Interconnecting Pipelines (as of 12/31/07):

- Northern Border - Glen Ullin
- Northern Border - Manning
- Northern Natural Gas - Fort Buford
- TBI Field Services - Wind River
- Kinder Morgan Interstate - Bridger
- Colorado Interstate Gas - Elk Basin
- Energy West - Elk Basin
- MIGC - Recluse
- SourceGas - Billy Creek
- Many Islands Pipeline - Portal
- NorthWestern Energy - Warren

### Interesting Statistics:

- Miles of natural gas transmission lines 3,364
- Miles of natural gas field and gathering lines 347

### Tariff Rates

For the most current rates, please access the Williston Basin interactive web site at [ebb.wbip.com](http://ebb.wbip.com) and select OTHER INFORMATION and then RATES in the navigation box on the left side of the screen. Or, you may call one of the Customer Service team members listed on the [Customer Service Key Contacts](#).

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**Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company** provides transportation, storage and gathering services in Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota and Wyoming. The pipeline is strategically connected to several major pipelines allowing transportation of regional natural gas supplies and is a link between Canada, the Rockies and the mid-continent area of the United States.

## Current Pipeline Activities

### Expansion Plans and Open Season

#### Standing Discounts

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## Current Pipeline Capacity Constraints

Gas Day	Cycle	Description	Point	Line Section
3/11/2009	Evening	WBI-Aggregate Storage(Withdrw)	05801	

## Notices

### Fuel Reimbursement eff. 4/1/2009 3/3/2009 - 4/2/2009

#### Other

Effective April 1, 2009, the proposed new fuel reimbursement percentages at 4.593% for gathering, 2.262% for transportation and .266% for storage. In addition, Shippers must also reimburse transporter for electric power used. The proposed rates are \$.03767 for gathering, \$.00241 for transportation and \$.00093 for storage services. If you have any questions, please call Kelly Brooks at 701.530.1607.

### Operational Purchases

2/11/2009 - 12/31/2009

#### Other

Williston Basin may need to solicit offers from time to time for the purchase of natural gas due to operational reasons. Williston Basin will notify parties of the need to purchase gas via a Non-Critical Notice indicating the parameters of the solicitation. Response to such solicitations may be made by email or via a Solicitation Sheet (see Other Information/Form/Reference/Forms). Williston Basin will notify parties of its acceptance or rejection of an offer. All offers will be evaluated based upon market conditions at the time of the evaluation. Williston Basin reserves the right to reject any and all offers.

### Monthly Statements

2/9/2009 - 3/11/2009

#### Other

Invoices and Flowing Gas Statements have been posted to the

## Weather

City	Mar 11	Mar 12	Mar 13
<a href="#">Billings</a>	18/4 °F Flurries	33/14 °F Mostly Sunny	45/25 °F Mostly Sunny
<a href="#">Bismarck</a>	4/-12 °F Cold	22/6 °F Partly Cloudy	33/17 °F Partly Cloudy
<a href="#">Devils Lake</a>	-2/-18 °F Cold	15/5 °F Partly Cloudy	28/13 °F Partly Cloudy
<a href="#">Dickinson</a>	3/-10 °F Cold	19/10 °F Mostly Sunny	35/18 °F Mostly Sunny
<a href="#">Fargo</a>	0/-19 °F Blowing Snow	11/1 °F Partly Cloudy	29/14 °F Partly Cloudy
<a href="#">Glasgow</a>	6/-10 °F Cold	21/7 °F Mostly Sunny	36/16 °F Mostly Sunny
<a href="#">Glendive</a>	13/-5 °F Mostly Sunny	29/10 °F Mostly Sunny	42/19 °F Mostly Sunny
<a href="#">Greybull</a>	19/5 °F Patchy Freezing Fog	36/12 °F Mostly Sunny	43/20 °F Mostly Sunny
<a href="#">Jamestown</a>	0/-16 °F Cold	15/5 °F Partly Cloudy	28/13 °F Mostly Sunny
<a href="#">Miles City</a>	13/-1 °F Mostly Sunny	30/13 °F Mostly Sunny	41/22 °F Mostly Sunny
		19/10 °F	32/16 °F